

## DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS

You could hardly blame Father for telling a little one that time.



## CLASSIFIED ADS

## WANTED

WANTED—To buy one or two acres of land just in or outside of city limits. Must be cheap. Phone 434.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House. Phone George Brandon.

FOR RENT—Part of store formerly occupied by Noto Bros. Hardware Store. See Fountain Bros.

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FOR SALE—One full-blood Jersey cow. Fresh. G. W. Showers.

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FOR SALE—An extra good young cow, fresh in milk. If you want one you would be proud to own her. W. Wiprecht.

## LOST

LOST—Saturday at Wilson's fire sale, small brown purse, envelope style, containing four \$10 bills. Return same to Union Woolen Mills and receive liberal reward.

## FOUND

FOUND—Fountain pen. Owner will identify and pay for this notice. Miss Lillie Wilson, Carnegie Library.

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## PRIZE WINNER

Won twenty out of twenty-one prizes in contest in Austin, February, 1914.

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## BRYAN HAS TWO FIRES.

Blaze in the Queen Saturday Night.  
Residence Sunday Night.

## At the Queen.

A very destructive fire occurred about 11 o'clock Saturday night in the Queen Theatre, there being five films burned, every picture shown Saturday. The origin of the fire is unknown, but one of the films caught on fire in some unknown manner while they were being packed away for shipment, as the show was just being closed for the night. The frame work on the outside of the operator's booth caught fire, but prompt action by the firemen saved the building from much damage. Mr. Fairman estimates his loss at about \$1,500. The damage to the building was covered by insurance. There is a question as to the insurance on the material belonging to Mr. Fairman, as he had recently purchased the theatre and the insurance had not been transferred. Mr. Fairman announces the building will be repaired at once and the theatre reopened as soon as possible.

## Residence Fire.

A rent house on East Anderson street, belonging to the D. E. Batten estate, burned this morning about 4 o'clock. The house was occupied by Mrs. Peebles and children. The origin of the fire was unknown. The insurance on the house was \$1,100, but the furniture, which was valued at \$500, had no insurance, both being a total loss. The firemen did valiant service, but were unable to save the house, as it was covered with flames when they arrived at the scene.

## Ballinger Poultrymen Do Big Business

Ballinger — Poultry raising and dairying has become a great factor in the commerce of this place, and since the first of the year one produce house in this city has shipped more than \$15,000 worth of these products to Eastern markets. This report excludes products sold for home consumption. A conservative estimate places the receipts from this source alone at \$10,000 per month.

## TIME CLOSING FOR ENTERING CROP CONTEST.

The time for entering the field crop contest for the \$10,000 prize awards of the Texas Industrial Congress is rapidly drawing to a close; it will end on May 1.

The Congress does not make any charge for entering names in its contests, and its prizes are given to those of its contestants who make better than the general average of all contestants in crop yields and net profits.

The size of the tract to be entered is not large enough to put any inconvenience upon the farmer in his year's work, being merely intended as a study and experiment acre with his farm. Such experiment plots ought to be maintained as a matter of course, for growing seed crops, and when a man, boy and girl may share in a distribution of \$10,000 in prize awards by simply writing to the Industrial Congress in connection with the farming they are going to do anyway, it seems that the farmer readers of this paper are merely standing in their own light by not getting into the contest.

The entering of many contestants from this county is a matter that concerns our business men—since they are only less vitally concerned in the growth of better farming in their territory than are the farmers themselves. Many of our farmers, we are sure, would like to enter the contest and intend to enter, but because they are busy in the fields and a letter requires to be written and mailed and a blank to be signed and mailed they fail to do it. We believe that our bankers and business men, concerned as they are with the farmers in having this territory do the best possible farming, can sit down at their phones call up a dozen farmer friends and get them to agree to enter either themselves or their children in the contest and authorize the business men to sign and mail the applications for them. We have received some application blanks from the congress, and will make this use of them, and other business men in the city also have them. If this country does not make a showing in farm study and improvement, the fault is here and not with the Texas Industrial Congress, which would be only glad if every farmer in this section were included as trying for the biggest net profits that entitle him to the prizes.

High Mark for Postoffice Receipts.  
San Angelo—The receipts for the local postoffice for the fiscal year closing March 31 amounted to more than \$30,000. This is the best record ever made here and is a splendid testimonial of the volume of business that transpires here.

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New Spare-Time Profession for Men and Women—One Man Makes \$3500 in Six Months.

Owing to the large number of new motion picture theatres which are being opened throughout the country, there is offered to the men and women of today a new profession, namely, that of writing moving picture plays. Producers are paying from \$5 to \$150 for each scenario accepted upon which they can build a photo play.

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